

**A RESOLUTION
BY FINANCE/EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

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A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER TO ENGAGE THE CONSULTING SERVICES OF MR. ALLAN BENSON, A RETIRED EMPLOYEE OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 3-305 OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, FOR A PERIOD NOT TO EXCEED 12 MONTHS, WITH AN OPTION OF A ONE 12 MONTH RENEWAL; WITH A CONTRACT AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED EIGHTY SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$86,000.00); TO BE CHARGED TO AND PAID FROM 1A01 524001 J82001 (GENERAL FUND, CONSULTANT PROFESSIONAL SERVICES ACCOUNT, DIRECTOR OF ACCOUNTING SERVICES CENTER); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES:

WHEREAS, the Department of Finance is completing the reorganization of its operational units; and

WHEREAS, the particular skills of Mr. Allan Benson are required to provide a smooth transition of duties in the newly structured accounting operation of the City; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Allan Benson retired from the City of Atlanta Department of Finance on January 3, 2005 after twenty-seven and a half years of dedicated service to the citizens of Atlanta; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Finance wishes to engage the Contractual Consultant services of Retired employee, Allan Benson, to assist in the transitioning of duties and responsibilities in the Department of Finance accounting operation in accordance with and under the provisions of Section 2-1190 of the City of Atlanta Code of Ordinances.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, that the Chief Financial Officer be and is hereby authorized to engage the Consultant services of Mr. Allan Benson, a Retired employee of the City of Atlanta, Department of Finance in accordance with the provisions of Section 3-305 of the Charter of the City of Atlanta, to provide services to the Department of Finance in the Division of Accounting Services for a period of twelve (12) months, with a option to renew for one additional twelve (12) month period, and payments shall not exceed eighty six thousand dollars (\$86,000.00), and shall be charged to 1A01 524001 J82001 (General Fund, Consultant Professional Services Account, Director of Accounting Services Center).